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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir

In response to the office action dated May 17, 2005 received in the above-identified application, applicant hereby respectfully requests reconsideration of the application based on the following remarks.